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## U. S. SUPREME COURT RULES PRICE-FIXING AGREEMENTS ILLEGAL

DECISION WAS IN CASE OF MAJOR OIL COMPANIES AND INDIVIDUALS

WASHINGTON, May 6.—(P)—In a decision of far-reaching importance, the Supreme Court ruled today that "price-fixing agreements are unlawful" under the 1890 Sherman act.

Justice Douglas delivered the 5 to 2 opinion that sustained a ruling by the Federal District court at Madison, Wis., which held that 12 major oil companies and individuals violated the Sherman act by conspiring to control the price of gasoline as sold in ten Mid-Western states.

Government attorneys hailed the decision as an important victory which will aid the justice department in its current anti-monopoly campaign.

The decision departed from the famous "rule of reason" interpretation of the Sherman act pronounced by the tribunal in 1911. The court held then that the Sherman act prohibited only "unreasonable restraints of interstate commerce."

Since 1911, some of the court's opinions have adhered to this view, while others have abandoned it.

Justices Roberts and McReynolds dissented from the majority decision. Chief Justice Hughes and Justice Murphy did not participate.

### Voluntary Cooperative Effort

The oil companies, in defending their action, contended that they had engaged only "in a voluntary cooperative effort" to remove a "competitive evil" — distrest gas.

The resulting prices would be

## SURRENDERS IN NORWAY



Shown beside a staff officer is Col. O. B. Getz (left), acting commander of Norwegian forces in central Norway, who surrendered after accusing Allies of "incomprehensible action" in retreating without notice to Norway's army. The picture was cabled to the United States.

## EXPECT REPUBLICANS NAME RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE QUICKLY

SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE IGNORES ADVICE OF LEADER

### AN IMPORTANT CONVENTION GROUP TO MEET WEEK AHEAD MAIN BODY

By D. HAROLD OLIVER

WASHINGTON, May 6.—(P)—Early caucuses to select members of the Republican resolutions committee were predicted today following official word that the group would meet a week before the national convention to draft a party platform.

Chairman John Hamilton of the Republican national committee announced that he was taking the initiative in assembling the members-designate in Philadelphia about June 17. The convention meets June 24 in that city.

This departure from convention routine is expected to develop much preliminary talk of presidential candidates as well as of platform planks, since the resolutions committee, which formulates the platform, is made up of a party leader from each state.

Ordinarily the committee members are not picked until the convention meets. Twenty-one states already have chosen their delegates. Five more select theirs this week, and by the end of May all will have been completed.

Operating more slowly, the Democrats have picked delegates in only 12 states. Five more groups will be selected this week. National Chairman James A. Farley is expected to appoint a convention arrangements committee soon and call a meeting to select a keynote speaker and permanent chairman. The democratic will hold their convention in Chicago July 15.

### To Name More Delegates.

Republicans will pick 80 more delegates this week, including 8 in Idaho today, 44 in California and 8 in South Dakota tomorrow, and 12 in Arkansas and 8 in North Dakota Saturday.

Democrats will choose 22 delegates in Alabama, 44 in California, 14 in Florida and 8 in South Dakota tomorrow, and 22 in Iowa Saturday.

Principal interest today was trained on Maryland's presidential primary. The voters were select-

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## JUST FOLKS

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## WORDS

Sometimes the words refuse to come at all. As if from sadness they would keep away. Or wished awhile in idleness to stay. Tired of some human's most persistent call. Sometimes like soldiers into line they fall. Ready for duty, be it what it may; Again like youngsters laughing at their play. They race the page, pursuing hoop or ball. Words are the servants, and the master, thought. As all who serve compelled to "stand and wait." Some into commonplaces shaped and wrought. Some made eternal by a craftsman's great man's thinking, swinging into line, awaiting the splendor of the gift divine.

## IDLE DOLLARS

The director of the Congressional Library has asked the headquarters of the Children's Crusade for Children for the "great mass of written, printed and visual material being developed in connection with the crusade in the many thousands of participating schools." He believes these records "will furnish significant first-hand information for future students of the history of our times as to what was the temper of our country and its young people in the year 1940."

And what is the Children's Crusade for Children? It is a movement designed to raise funds for the relief of children in war-stricken areas. The children of America will contribute, if they can, "as many pennies as they are years old." They are all it, from the remaining one-room country schools to the many-roomed schools of the cities.

The Crusade has a two-fold purpose. In the act of helping refugee children, it is noted that youthful Americans will have their own lives enriched by understanding and sympathy for their fellows in war-torn lands. It is hoped to open their eyes and minds, not simply to their great good fortune in living in a free and rich country, but to the spiritual blessings of the democracy they have inherited and their responsibility to it. The children of today's world of conflict and terror may be the boulders of tomorrow's peace. The Crusade is partial training for that task.

## LUEGENKRIEG

Hitler has combined with Blitzkrieg the "Luegenkrieg," the War of Lies by which he betrays a friendly nation and gets his foot in the door without fighting. He used this technique clearly and fully for the first time in Denmark and the effects were most devastating and shameful in the latter country, which would have resisted invasion if the government and people had realized what was going on. What looked at first like passive acquiescence in the Nazi invasion was soon revealed as a sort of torpor caused by the sudden and incomprehensible catastrophe. By the time the trickery was revealed, the damage had been done, Oslo and other important places were safely in German hands.

In the meantime the morale of the Norwegian army and public was naturally demoralized. It will take at best several months, and thousands of lives, to undo the damage caused by that shameless betrayal.

The lesson, however, may be beneficial in the end. Now all the countries, large and small, threatened by Nazi fraud and force, know what to expect and are on their guard. Perhaps civilization should thank Hitler for thus showing his hand, in a case where the result, as it seems now, will probably not be fatal. But at best, European civilization has had a close call.

Germany is "scraping the economic bin" to finance this war; and when that is done, she'll be in a worse scrape than ever.

A petrified oyster found in Texas is more than four feet long and three feet wide. Imagine a plateful of bivalves on the half shell!

We seem to gather, from rivals' comments, that nobody likes Dewey except maybe the voters.



## PATTY DUNTON DRUM MAJOR OF CORSICANA HIGH SCHOOL BAND

## News of County Home Demonstration Clubs

Oak Valley Club. Refrigeration was once considered a luxury, but now it is a necessity. Miss Clara Rettiger, Navarro County Home Demonstration Agent, told the members of the Oak Valley Home Demonstration Club, which met with Mrs. H. C. Nicol April 25.

Miss Patty Dunton, student of the Corsicana Senior High school, was elected drum major of the Corsicana High school band Thursday morning by members of the band, according to an announcement today by Herbert Lewis Hill, band director. She will succeed Miss Virginia Youngblood, who is a candidate for graduation this year.

Misses Aileen Peacock and Pauline Peacock, twins, students of the Junior High school, were elected as drum majorettes succeeding Misses Jack Marr and Martha Jo McClung. Miss June Fauber will succeed Miss Peggy Ann Levi as one of the band's two flag-bearers. Miss Elizabeth Molloy was re-elected to the other flag-bearer's post.

## Goings and Comings Of Fairfield Folk And Their Visitors

FAIRFIELD, May 4.—(Spl.)— Ernest Steward and Rev. W. R. Miller, son and son-in-law of Denton visited friends and relatives here the past week end.

Miss Louise Anderson, Mary Leona and Verna Hucksby were in Waco Saturday.

Frank Peyton, Jr., and Billie McFadin spent Sunday in Denton.

Mrs. Ethyl Cannon of Corsicana visited her daughter, Mrs. R. E. Storie, Tuesday.

O. H. Jurek made a business trip to Corsicana Tuesday.

Miss Ofa, Kate Kirgan and Mrs. Birdie McKinney were in Mexia Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Steward met their daughter, Emma Louise of Denton in Dallas and spent the week end.

James M. Terrell attended a Waco compliance meeting at Mrs. Erne's Jool Lane and son, Mr. Howard Lane, Mrs. Max Love and Mrs. Ruth Stubb and son spent Tuesday in Corsicana.

Dale McKissack spent the past week end visiting in Jacksonville.

Mrs. L. C. Kirgan, Joy Kirgan and Mrs. R. R. Kirgan visited in Wortham Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Young and Mrs. Sue Hill spent Thursday in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Glazener and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Glazener attended a revival meeting at Laramie last Friday conducted by Rev. W. B. Wills.

Mr. and Mrs. Tas Watson and daughters, spent the week end with relatives in Dallas.

Zach Stroud of Bryan spent the past week end here.

Miss Thelma Steele of Streetman visited here Wednesday.

Miss Muriel Clardige was in Corsicana Wednesday.

Mr. Sheriff and Mrs. J. R. Sessions left Tuesday for Sweetwater, where they will visit their grandson, James Hulen, who is serving at a Sweetwater hospital Saturday evening.

The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Hulen Kirgan.

Mrs. W. H. Childs, Misses Lena and Josephine Childs spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Childs in Denison.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bonner visited relatives in Houston Sunday.

Miss Emma Gertrude Tuley spent the week end in Dallas.

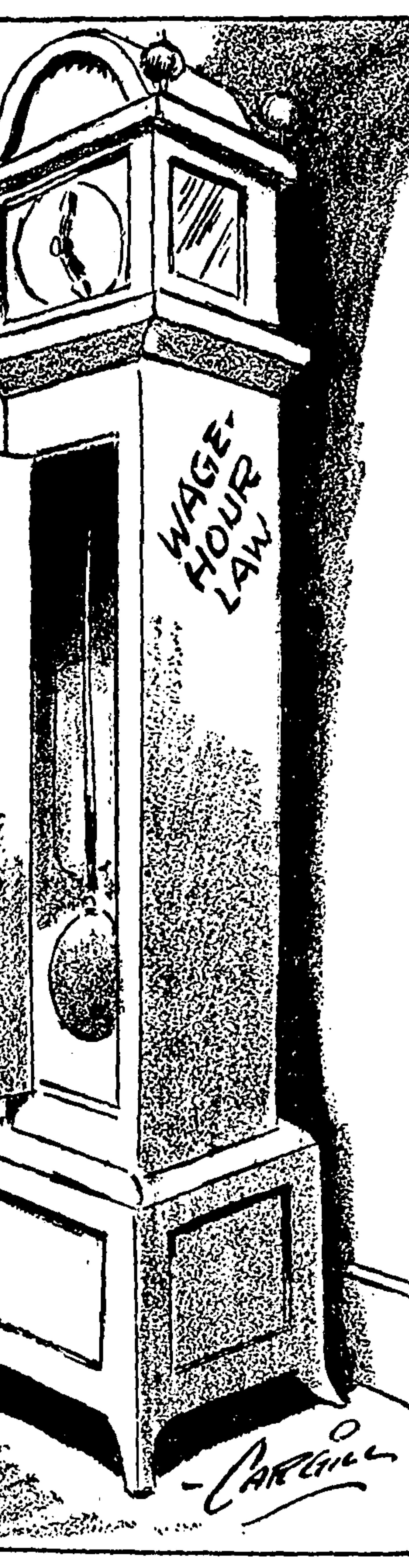
Mrs. Mary Downie Died Friday Night At Home in Ennis

Mrs. Mary Elsie Downey, about 40, died at her home in Ennis Friday night following lingering illness.

Surviving are three sons, Jack Downey, Henry Malcolm Downey and Joe Carl Downey and a daughter, Miss Evelyn Dewey, stenographer in the district six census headquarters here.

Funeral arrangements were not known here Saturday morning.

## THE WORKS?



## APPOINTMENT FOUR PRECINCT CHAIRMEN CONFIRMED FRIDAY

Confirmation of four precinct chairmen appointments by County Chairman N. S. Crawford was made at a special meeting of the Navarro County Democratic Executive Committee Friday morning at 10 o'clock in the county courtroom. Supplies were delivered to the various precinct chairmen for holding the presidential precinct conventions Saturday throughout the county when delegates to the presidential county convention, Tuesday, May 7, were selected.

The precinct chairmen confirmed were W. B. Payne, Purley, succeeding C. M. Payne who has moved out of the precinct; J. M. Tullos, precinct 3, succeeding J. H. Hickey Jr., resigned; Ike Upchurch, Beasley, succeeding C. C. Holloway; and John McQuary, Richland, replacing S. F. Herod, resigned.

## Fifty-one Students Of Barry School On Latest Honor Roll

BARRY, May 3.—(Spl.)—Fifty-one students of Barry school made the honor rolls this past six weeks. Those in the first grade are:

Donald Ray Barr, Hubert Clyde Farmer, Ernestine Elliott, Letha Rae Grinnell, Betty Lee Luther, Gladys Marie McDonald, Joan Robison and Billie Davis Braly and Wynelle Goswick made the A honor roll; Clyde Dill, Glenn Morton and Billie Marie Brugh made the B honor roll.

In the third and fourth grades:

Patsy Ann Buyl, Emmaeze Dill, Gerandine Honeycutt, Charles Kenneth Bartham, Joyce Ragan and Bobbie Jean Freeman made the A honor roll; Sonny Wilson, Sammie Jean McDonald, Gerald Simpson, Robert B. Thompson, Jimmie De Burke, Betty Alice Ragan, Elmer Elliott, Lavine Flanagan and Howard Cooper made the B honor roll.

Pupils in the fifth and sixth grades who made the honor roll are: Mary Lou Phelps, Billie Lee McGraw, Dora Lee Rhodes, Dorothy Ann Wilson, Velma Derryberry, Edna Earl Simpson and John White Elliott.

High school students who made the A honor roll are: Frances Williams, Calvin Watson and Willard Farmer. Those on the B honor roll are: Bob Jackson, James Ragsdale, Herschel Cooper, Pauline Hawe, Bessie Butler, Carroll Brown, Cecil Ross, Jim Luther, Eugene Grinnell, George Pope, Julia Kate Parks, Billy Ragan and Billie Jo Russell.

## Barry Bride To Be Is Surprised With Shower Wednesday

Miss Ellen Elizabeth Bush, of Barry, who is to become the bride of Muvin Hoyle, read on Sunday May 12, at 4 p.m. at the Baptist church in Barry, was surprised with a bridal shower Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Claude Watson, Barry, given by Mrs. Pete Livingston, Mrs. Bill McGraw, Mrs. Zelma Moore, Mrs. C. W. Harris, Mrs. Raymond Worsham and Mrs. Watson.

Upon arrival, Miss Bush was led to a large decorated chair where she was given a pair of scissors and told to "go to work," which she did immediately, opening the 100 or more packages which contained lovely and useful gifts.

After they had been passed around for all to admire, the hostesses served a bountiful refreshment plate of sandwiches, cookies and tea.

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## FORTRESS

## Courthouse News

## GERMANY

(Continued From Page One) launched an attack supported by light field artillery, machine-guns and planes.

The refugees said that within a few days the fire from the German guns left most of the village a mass of smoke, ruin and the fortress is a poorly-maintained shell.

They said the Hugos defenders, forced to conserve their scanty stores of food and munitions, held their fire until the Germans tried a direct assault and then inflicted heavy losses on the attackers.

"Our troops could have held out indefinitely," said one refugee proudly, "but they ran short of food and ammunition."

**Finally Forced Surrender**

With the food apparently completely gone and only a few rounds of ammunition left, the 15 officers and 180 men finally capitulated.

Farther to the north, many tired and bedraggled Norwegian volunteers and civilians continue to pour into Sweden across mountain passes. The Germans now have pushed their occupation east directly to the Swedish frontier occupying Grong and Namoss.

A young British Red Cross ambulance driver, William Mill, one of the last British to escape from the Grong sector, declared:

"You couldn't tell the Norwegian soldiers from the civilians except that they carried guns, for they weren't wearing uniforms for the most part. After they had trudged a few miles through the snow, slush and mud, everyone looked alike."

Mill said German bombers had reduced villages in the area from Grong to the Swedish frontier to "just little flat heaps of wreckage."

## MANEUVERS

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The Reds, after similar intensive training, announced that they would hold spring corps maneuvers just west of the Sabine river, the "boundary" which actually divides Louisiana and Texas.

The Blues then increased their garrison here at Camp Beauregard and said they would bring troops from Georgia for large scale maneuvers.

After a scheduled Red invasion over the Sabine river, officers said, the realistic "warfare" will "mark the high point in the history of regular army training."

Seasoned soldiers will battle in a 10,000-square-mile area of cut-over pine land, hills, rivers and valleys between Alexandria, La., and Nacogdoches, Texas.

Nine thousand civilian observers will cooperate to help spot "enemy" planes. Red aircraft will attempt to bomb bridges and roads and strafe troops. Blue fighting planes will try to intercept them.

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## District Court

(Continued From Page One) The trial of the case of Earl L. Brown vs. Texas and New Orleans Railroad Company, damages, got under way Monday morning.

Unice Sanders vs. Decker Sanders, divorce granted.

The following have been summoned as petit jurors for the seventh week of the April term of district court for the week beginning Monday, May 14:

Levy, Corsicana; T. B. Kirkham, Corsicana; S. N. Drury, Corsicana; C. A. Deveny, Corsicana; Roy F. Thompson, Corsicana; O. L. Albritton, Corsicana; J. F. Burros, Corsicana; Curry, Butler, Corsicana; J. A. Worthy, Corsicana; S. A. L. Weeks, Corsicana; John Walton, Barry; Raymond Worsham, Barry; L. O. McGraw, Barham; K. J. Daniel, Kershaw; R. M. Bowden, Rice 1; J. M. Dawson, Dawson; G. I. Franklin, Frost 1; G. L. Haley, Frost 1; N. Chambers, Barry 2; W. L. Garland, Richland; E. A. Jordan, Blooming Grove; A. K. Garner, Dawson; R. C. Jones, Frost 1; S. O. Harper, Rice; W. L. Bain, Jr., Kershaw; J. A. Daniel, Kershaw; R. M. Bowden, Rice 1; J. M. Dawson, Dawson; G. I. Franklin, Frost 1; G. L. Haley, Frost 1; N. Chambers, Barry 2; W. L. Garland, Richland; E. A. Jordan, Blooming Grove; A. K. Garner, Dawson; R. C. Jones, Frost 1; S. O. Harper, Rice; W. L. Bain, Jr., Kershaw; J. A. Daniel, Kershaw; R. M. Bowden, Rice 1; J. M. Dawson, Dawson; G. I. Franklin, Frost 1; G. L. Haley, Frost 1; N. 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## NAVARRO COUNTY AA ENDORSE OBJECTIVES SATURDAY MEETING

### MATTERS OF INTEREST TO AGRICULTURE GIVEN BACKING

Objectives endorsed by the Navarro County Agricultural Association in a regular meeting Saturday at the court house were as follows:

1. Improvement in production and marketing of livestock, cotton, wheat and all other cash crops.

2. Increase consumption of meats, cotton, wheat and other crops produced on Texas Farms.

3. Continue and improve the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, soil conservation service, and all other governmental agencies, working toward the improvement of farm conditions.

4. Keep informed on all legislative matters and insist that all laws relating to agriculture be on a constructive basis.

5. Seek a law changing the conditions of Texas whereby 41 per cent of the real property pays 98 per cent of all taxes. We propose that intangible, as well as tangible property, pay its fair share of taxes.

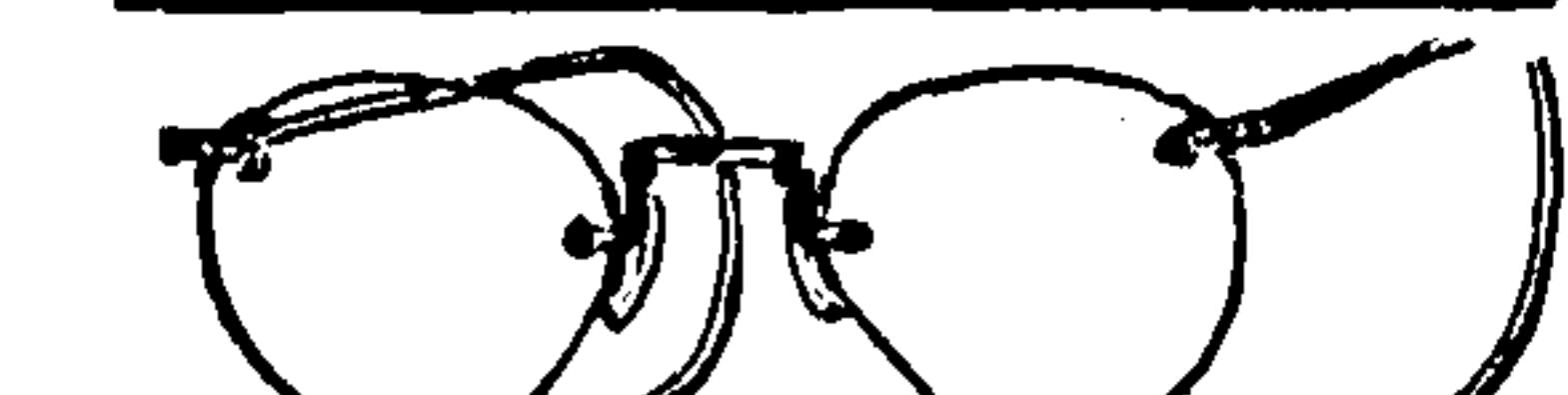
6. Use all farm influence toward the removal of state trade barriers.

7. Ask for a law whereby the truck load law in Texas be raised to an equitable basis with other states, in order that, through competition, freight rates for products raised on the farm are placed on a fair rate basis with manufactured products.

8. Work out a program whereby soil conservation and other farm operations may be conducted in co-operation with the government at lower cost and interest rates to the farmer.

9. We feel that it is necessary for the farmer to organize and put forth a united effort to compensate for the advantages gained by labor and industry through organization, tariff, patents, copyrights, freight rates, price agreements, monopolies and other protective measures.

There were five communities represented.—Reporter.



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A good massage can relieve this stiffness very easily, and the individual feels completely renewed and full of fresh energy. The next time you are faced

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### TODAY'S CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

Solution to Friday's Puzzle.

| ACROSS                                      |
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| 1. Destiny                                  |
| 5. Small island                             |
| 9. Southern constellation                   |
| 12. Algerian accent                         |
| 18. Fail to hold the road                   |
| 14. Nothing Troubles                        |
| 15. S-shaped molding                        |
| 21. Purpose                                 |
| 24. Rings slowly                            |
| 27. Spiritual appearances of the human form |
| 31. Tropical bird                           |
| 33. Still                                   |
| 35. Echo                                    |
| 36. Strong                                  |
| 42. Biblical country                        |
| 50. Metaliferous rock                       |
| 51. Counsel: archaio                        |
| 52. Short for a man's name                  |
| 53. Lowest timber                           |
| 54. Opposed                                 |
| 55. Restore confidence to                   |
| 47. Indoor game                             |
| 1. City in Holland                          |
| 9. Word puzzle                              |
| 10. Coronation                              |
| 11. On the hallowed side                    |
| 12. Loud noise                              |
| 13. Verge upon impropriety                  |
| 15. Trees: Scotch                           |
| 16. Thick black liquid                      |
| 20. Number                                  |
| 26. Tried to hear                           |
| 27. Help                                    |
| 28. Parallel of the ground                  |
| 29. Discover                                |
| 30. Not tested                              |
| 31. What is the bearing of a knight's crest |
| 37. Open                                    |
| 38. More ignoble                            |
| 40. Recognize                               |
| 41. Ireland                                 |
| 43. Within comb.                            |
| 44. Bone of the arm                         |
| 45. Rodents                                 |
| 46. Golf Instructor: colloq.                |
| 1. Froth                                    |
| 2. Melody                                   |
| 3. Small mineral                            |
| 4. Close tightly                            |
| 5. Mohammedan                               |
| 6. Game                                     |
| 7. Authority: permission                    |
| 8. Final                                    |

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## IMPROVEMENTS AT HOSPITAL NOTED BOARD MEETING

### EIGHTY PATIENTS WERE ADMITTED AT P. AND S. DURING APRIL

Inspection of recent improvements was made by the Navarro county hospital board at its regular meeting held at the P. and S. Hospital Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Included in the recent improvements are new lighting fixtures for the main operating room and delivery room, installation of venetian blinds for three rooms, renovation of mattresses and suites of furniture.

The report for April showed 80

patients, not including four emergencies. Of the 80 patients admitted, 20 were charity. Charity hospitalization was listed at \$716.05, while services to charity patients by physicians was \$1.452.

Collections in April were \$1,700.26 while expenses were listed at \$2,614.87 and accounts due May \$261.06.

Items included in the \$2,614.87 claims presented and ordered paid

Superintendent and nurses salaries, \$710; other help, \$172.60; groceries and provisions, \$334.01; fuel, light and water, \$130.27; drugs, \$89.08; sundries, \$290.41; repairs, \$119.82; equipment, \$663.58; laundry, \$155.20.

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## BOY SCOUT BOARD OF REVIEW WILL BE HELD TUESDAY EVE

A Boy Scout Board of Review will be held at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow (Tuesday) evening for all Corsicana Scouts, according to an announcement by Kari Blackwell, chairman of the local Board of Review.

This will be the last opportunity for local Scouts to be reviewed in advance of the big camping Court of Honor Saturday night. This court will be held in connection with the first annual Camporee, a two day encampment of Navarro County Scouts at the county fairgrounds Friday and Saturday. The public is invited to visit the camp at any time, but is especially urged to attend the Court of Honor Saturday evening at 7:30.

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## Local AAA Officials Attending Conference Waxahachie Monday

A number of local AAA officials were in Waxahachie Monday attending a district conference. Among those making the trip to Waxahachie were R. R. Keeling, Currie, chairman of the county committee; D. D. Harvey, administrative assistant; Charles Fondren, Steve Anderson and Harry P. Mayo.

Among those attending a conference in Dallas Friday were R. R. Keeling, R. V. Davis and John T. Ryser, county committee; Harvey, Fondren and Anderson.

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Houston Woman Was Painfully Injured In Auto Accident

Mrs. Kenneth Cody of Houston suffered torn ligaments in the left shoulder and numerous bruises near her Saturday afternoon when the car in which she and her husband were en route to Dallas struck a soft highway shoulder and turned over. Mr. Cody was uninjured.

Mrs. Cody was rushed to the Corsicana Hospital and Clinic for treatment. She was able to be taken home Sunday afternoon.

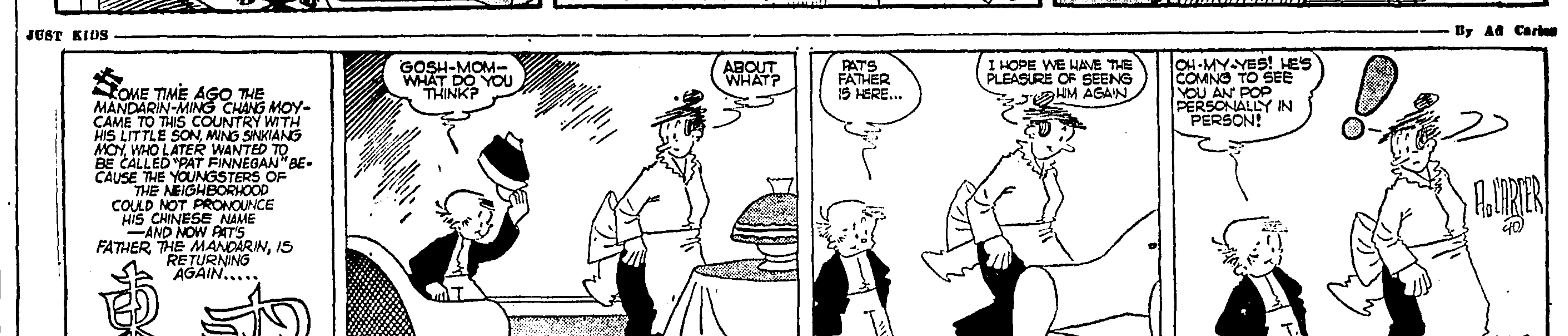
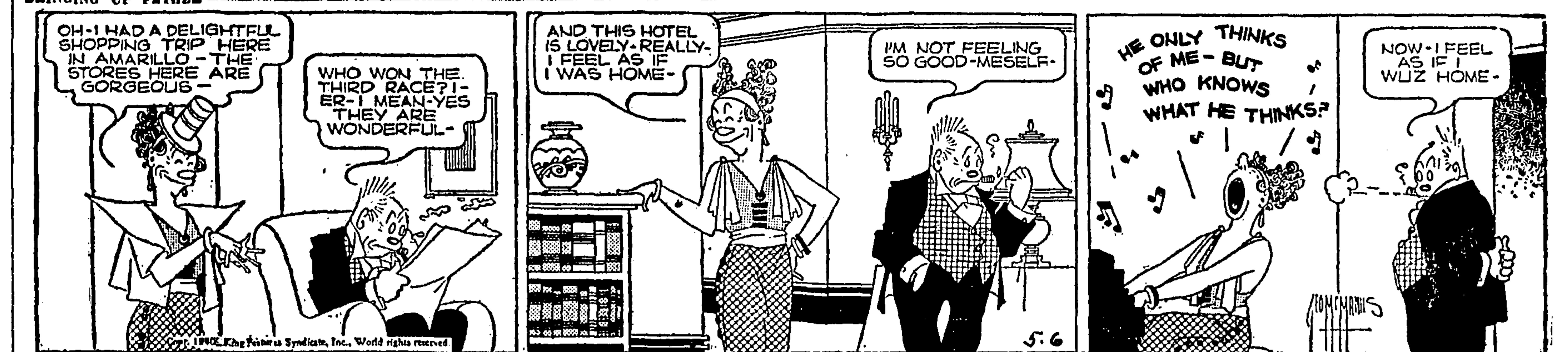
K. of P. Notice.

Corsicana Lodge, No. 6, K. of P. will confer the rank of page Tuesday night, the 17th, at 8 o'clock. Visitors from Dallas will be present, so all members are urged to attend. Visiting Knights cordially invited.

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## COMMODITY MARKETS

Quotations From Major Exchanges

## Local Markets

|   |         |
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| Cotton  | 10.20   |
| Cotton seed   | \$25.00 |
|   |         |
| <b>Cotton</b>   |         |
| Texas Spots Markets.  |         |
| DALLAS, May 6.—(P)—Cotton futures closed 11-10 lower. Old contract: Open, High, Low, Last 10.12. New contract: Open, High, Low, Last 10.12. May 10.35; 10.38; 10.38; 10.30-31. July 10.35; 10.38; 10.30; 10.30-31.  |         |
| New contract: Open, High, Low, Last 10.52; 10.52; 10.43; 10.42. October 10.05; 0.05; 0.05; 0.05. December 0.75; 0.75; 0.75; 0.75. January 0.75; 0.75; 0.75; 0.75. March 0.75; 0.75; 0.75; 0.75. Middling spot (7-8 inch) 10.37-n. Nominal.  |         |
| New Orleans Cotton Table.   |         |
| NEW ORLEANS, May 6.—(P)—Spot market of the May position, war news and better weather, the cotton bolt were against cotton future market. Cotton prices were steady at net losses of 7 to 11 points.   |         |
| Open, High, Low, Last 10.70; 10.70; 10.71. July 10.48; 10.48; 10.40; 10.42. October 0.08; 0.08; 0.08; 0.08. December 0.08; 0.08; 0.08; 0.08. January 0.08; 0.08; 0.08; 0.08. March 0.08; 0.08; 0.08; 0.08. May (1941) 0.08; 0.08; 0.08; 0.08.   |         |
| New Orleans Cotton Spots Lower.   |         |
| NEW ORLEANS, May 6.—(P)—Spot cotton closed dull, ten lower. Sales 131,000 cotton, 9,000 bbls. middling 10.00; good middling 11.00. Receipts 4,000. Stock 67,511.  |         |
| Liverpool Spots Unchanged.  |         |
| LIVERPOOL, May 6.—(P)—Spot cotton quiet, prices unchanged. Quotations in Pence: American, strict good middling, 8.28; middling, 8.18; strict low middling, 8.08; low middling, 7.83; strict good ordinary, 7.38; good ordinary, 7.03. Futures closed steady, 7.75. July 7.08; Oct. 7.00; Jan. 7.75. |         |
| New Orleans Cotton Steady.  |         |
| NEW ORLEANS, May 6.—(P)—Cotton futures opened steady 2 to 6 points lower today.   |         |
| New York Cotton Opens Lower.  |         |
| NEW YORK, May 6.—(P)—Cotton futures opened 3 to 7 lower.  |         |
| Cotton prices sagged at the start and then rose through the first hour on bombing, selling and domestic hedge pressure.   |         |
| Midmorning prices were down 4 to 7 points. May (old) 10.64; July (old) 10.37; March 0.63.   |         |
| Although the lower price levels attracted scattered short covering and occasional buying, new buying was slow, the market failed to make any headway up to noon. The list stayed steady, 4 to 7 lower. May (old) 10.64; July (old) 10.37; March 0.63.   |         |
| Oil Cottoned Oil Steady.  |         |
| NEW ORLEANS, May 6.—(P)—Cotton oil, closed steady. Bleachable prime, average, 6.40; bleachable crude 5.87-1.2; May 0.36b; July 6.30b; Sept. 0.47b; Dec. 0.52b; b-blld.  |         |
| NEW YORK, May 6.—(P)—Bleachable cottoned oil futures closed 10 lower. 58 contracts. May 6.85; July 6.80; Sept. 6.50b; Oct. 6.00; Dec. 6.00b.  |         |

## The Barry High School

Senior Play will be presented at White's Chapel Community Center, Thursday night, May 9th, 1940. Admission 10c and 20c. Everybody invited.

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EX-ARMY MEN MAY  
ENLIST IN RESERVE  
OF REGULAR ARMY

Announcement was made today by M. A. Strickland, recruiting representative of Corsicana, that all ex-army men who have one or more years of service under their belts are over the age of 38 years may now enlist in the regular army reserve.

Clarifying the condition under which they enlist, Strickland said members of the reserve are subject to call only in an emergency declared by the President and receive \$2 per month while on the inactive list. An additional \$3 will be paid for each month served in the reserve if ever called to active duty, he pointed out, adding that such additional pay will not exceed \$150.

Continuing he said there are no drills or no meetings to attend. All that is required is the reporting of a change of address to the corps area commander.

Enlistment is made in the same grade held at discharge and in the same branch of service.

Further qualifications are that a man be physically sound and of good moral character. He must have been discharged under honorable conditions and the fact that he is married is no bar to his enlistment in the reserve.

All U. S. Army recruiting stations are able to furnish information about the reserve and most stations are equipped to give the physical examinations and accomplish the enlistment. Applicants should have their last discharge certificate with them when making application.

Ward Walling Is  
Reported Resting  
Well on Monday

Ward Walling, who was injured early Saturday morning in an automobile accident in Hillsboro, was reported to be resting fairly well Monday morning. Tiny Johnson, the other Corsicana youth who also figured in the collision, was reported to be recovering from severe shock at his home.

The automobile in which the two youths were en route to Corsicana, collided with a car containing seven negroes rear Hillsboro city limits shortly after midnight Saturday morning. Two of the negro occupants suffered severe injuries and the other five were reported to have received only minor bruises and lacerations.

Mary Martin And  
Richard Halliday  
Wed Early Sunday

HOLLYWOOD, May 6.—(P)—Richard Halliday, film story editor, need not be surprised if studio associates nickname him "Daddy."

He came back today from Las Vegas, Nev., married to the famous Broadway psychologist whose singing of "My Heart Belongs to Daddy" landed her a motion picture contract. A sleepy justice of the peace tied the knot at 3 a. m. Sunday.

It was Miss Martin's second marriage and Halliday's first. A Wealthy, girl, she formerly was the wife of Bert Hageman, a lawyer of that city. To them was born a son now eight years old. They later were divorced.

Future Farmers Were  
Hosts Girls Friday

The Corsicana Future Farmers entertained the Corsicana home economics girls at a lawn party Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lane, local vocational agriculture teacher.

The party was a part of the recreation program planned by the Future Farmers last fall.

Reporter.

News of County Home  
Demonstration Clubs

Jones Ranch Club  
Mrs. Hubert Bailey, recreation chairman of the Jones Ranch Home Demonstration Club, introduced a new game, "Track Meet," when members of the club entertained their families with a picnic at the city park in Frost Wednesday night.

Mrs. Guy Tollos proved to have the best trained athletes in the "track meet" and was presented the prize. After Mrs. Bailey directed other games a picnic lunch with plenty hot coffee was served.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miles and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bondurant and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bolton English and family, Mr. and Mrs. Orlis Hill and Orlis Duane, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Bailey and Laverne.

The Club will meet in regular session at the home of Mrs. Harold Johnson, May 15.—Reporter.

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BLOOMING GROVE  
WOMAN WAS BURIED  
SUNDAY AFTERNOON

BLOOMING GROVE, May 6.—(P)—Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the First Baptist church for Mrs. Margaret Alice Langston, aged 80 years, who died Saturday afternoon. She had made her home here for the past 20 years.

The rites were conducted by Rev. W. O. Patterson, Baptist minister. Burial was made in the Abbott Hill cemetery.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Carolyn Oliver, Waco; four sons, John W. Glass, Blooming Grove; L. J. Glass, Waco; R. W. Glass, Dallas, and Walter Glass, Rockdale.

Arrangements were conducted by McCormick's Funeral Service.

## DEMOCRATS

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Judge S. A. Callcott, Mrs. J. S. Callcott, Mr. A. E. Haslem, Judge C. L. Knox, F. H. Harvey, Jr., Fred M. Allison, O. M. Rector, Mrs. J. O. Burke, W. J. Harry Burke, J. O. Burke, Wm. Thompson, Dr. W. H. Dunn, C. L. Harris, C. D. George, Walter Hayes, Cap Curington, Fred Prince, Lowry Martin, N. Suttle Roberts, Judge Wayne R. Howell, Mrs. Wayne R. Howell, J. C. Rose, L. R. Ribbitt, C. S. Stroud, B. H. Jester and others.

No official reports had been received from the precincts outside Corsicana.

The precent 1 Republican convention was held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Chairman W. H. Price presiding. Delegates were elected to the county Republican convention slated in Corsicana Tuesday at 2 p. m.

The Republican delegates were instructed to vote as a unit and that the county delegation send an uninstructed delegation to the state convention. Resolutions

providing for the New Deal spending of government funds and the "neutraceutical" form of government set up by the New Deal for the purpose of perpetuity in office and the probable danger of such government leading us from a democratic form of government to one of dictatorship."

## INTERNATIONAL

(Continued From Page One)

tillery and advance units in the Saar sector of the western front region following a series of determined by unsuccessful local thrusts.

In Britain, demands for a more vigorous prosecution of the war rose in advance of Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain's scheduled appearance in the House of Commons tomorrow to explain the allied withdrawal from central Norway.

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## ADVISORY COUNCIL SOIL CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION MEETS

### STATEMENT OF FACTS ON STATE LAW COVERING SPEC- IAL DISTRICTS ADOPTED

Directors and members of the advisory council of the Navarro County Soil Conservation Association held a special meeting at the Corsicana CCC camp Thursday night to discuss the campaign connected with the proposed formation of a special district under the state law. An election is scheduled for Saturday, May 25. A statement of facts concerning the state law and the operations of such a district was adopted and signed by those present, which included B. R. Bonner of Eureka, A. L. Worthy, C. C. Roberts, O. L. Albritton, all of Corsicana; L. R. Hall of Rice, C. A. Willis of Dawson, S. S. Skinner of Purdon; A. G. Elliott of Corsicana; J. Hall of Kerens, J. L. Baker and W. M. McCaus of Drane, G. A. Bell of Eureka, G. E. Moore of Frost, E. D. Smith of Navarro, O. M. Hector and R. L. Harris of Corsicana, and N. S. Crawford of Kerens.

The statement follows:

1. The Texas soil conservation law was written by Texas farmers who believed that the organization of conservation districts is the most effective and practical means of securing aid and assistance to the farmers of Texas from all available sources. This program has been endorsed and is actively supported by all of the farmer organizations in Texas.

2. A district will encourage greater use of soil conservation methods, such as terracing, terrace outlet control, contour tillage, crop rotation, pasture improvement and gully control.

3. A district will call the attention of our people to the fact that sheet erosion is rapidly deplating the topsoil of the fertile top soil with a corresponding decline in the per acre yields despite development of scientific processes for increasing such yields. Gully erosion is rendering a high per cent of the crop land not suitable for cultivation. Abandoned fields and sometimes entire farms due to erosion are altogether too common. There is a reduction of productivity or outright ruin of rich bottom lands by overwash of poor subsoil material sand and gravel swept out of the hills.

4. A district may secure assistance in farm planning that will enable the farmer to use men who have had years of experience and training in solving erosion control problems. These men will have a background similar to the county agent and their advice should be very helpful.

5. A district will serve as the agent of the farm owners to secure assistance from local, state and national agencies. Federal aid, which is free to the farmer, cannot be secured by the individual farmer unless a district is formed. This is a federal law.

6. A district should be able to reduce the cost of erosion control measures. Technical advice and aid such as terrace line running, etc., is free to the farmer.

WPA, NYA and CCC camp labor to build terrace outlet, sod pasture, build fence, etc., is free to the co-operative farmer. The cost of terrace construction may be reduced by pooling several jobs with approval of each farmer concerned. The district may

## TEXANS POOL 32,000 ACRES IN BIGGEST SOIL EXPERIMENT

AP Feature Service

TEMPLE, Texas—Wind, sun, rain and the things of the earth are mingling in a huge "test tube" near here, working out an experiment that holds important implications for the entire cotton South.

For it is in the North Elm creek watershed that the U. S. Soil Conservation Service has located the largest of its 170 demonstration projects. The biggest contiguous block of conservation-treated land in the country, 32,000 acres, has been formed out of 167 farms. Four hundred and fifty other farmers in 51,000 acres are cooperating in the experiment. And the results are sufficient to make the Soil Conservation Service point with pride.

### Plowed Up The Grass

Beginning in 1888, when Texas became a republic, thousands of farmers flocked to the 8,000,000-acre Texas blacklands to raise cotton. They rooted out the native grasses and plowed the land in up-and-downhill furrows. As rains washed away whole sheets of topsoil, the cotton yield declined.

Then in 1938, a conservation project was started in the Elm creek district, where 75 per cent of the land was in cotton.

Now the soil conservation reports:

1. The acreage devoted to cotton has been reduced to 38 per cent of the cultivated land.
2. Eroded land has been placed under a protective grass cover.
3. There has been an increase of 15 per cent in livestock—cattle and sheep—because now there is feed and forage.
4. About 6,000 eroded acres, formerly in clean-tilled crops or lying idle, have been converted to pasture.

5. Over 1,000 acres of permanent grass meadows or meadow buffer strips protect 4,000 acres of cultivated land.

They Follow 'Round' Farming

And, most important, "round" farming has displaced "square" farming, in which furrows correspond to boundary lines no matter how the land sloped. Today, on 32,000 acres, the rows wind around the slope of the contour or level, regardless of the contour lines. Between the intervals of open rows, crops lie strips of fibrous-rooted plants such as small grain, sorghums, or Sudan grass. Thus, runoff water from the whole cotton South.

loan equipment for terrace construction to the farmer.

7. A district is democratic. The governing body is a board of five supervisors who are local land owners elected by popular vote. Two-thirds majority vote is required to create a district. A district may be dissolved by a simple majority vote.

8. Participation is voluntary. The organization of a conservation district makes available to these services and assistance to those land owners who want it. Farmers who prefer to conserve their soil in their own way or do nothing about soil conservation in no way obligated to co-operate in the district program.

9. A district cannot levy taxes and cannot vote bonds.

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Airview of Texas blacklands under the Soil Conservation Service's plan. White line is one of the curve cultivation lines. It has been emphasized to show at a glance how the lines connect for miles, across many farms.

### Building Permits For Week Are \$3,675

Six building permits were issued from the office of the city engineer during the past week amounting to \$3,675 and bringing totals for the calendar year to \$6,765.

The permits included:

Walter Benton, 217 North Main street, new floor, \$90.

Ernest Copley, 1301 West Seventh avenue, frame dwelling, \$2,500.

James R. Laudan, 735 West First, add two rooms and bathroom, \$650.

J. H. Trone, 1700 West Collin street, servant's house and garage, \$300.

Mrs. Sue Castle Estate, 305 North Benton, floor repairs, \$60.

Golden Bros., 50 Comer, repair dwelling, \$75.

Sick and Convalescent.

Mrs. Edna Cross underwent a minor operation at the P. and S. Hospital Monday morning.

A son was born at the P. and S. Hospital Sunday morning.

Both mother and child were reported resting well Monday.

## TOM GRIES DIES FOLLOWING CRASH M'ALLEN SATURDAY

### RITES FORMER CORSICAN WERE HELD MONDAY; LEAVES BRIDE OF MONTH

WASHINGON, May 6.—(P)—Funeral services were held Monday morning from Sacred Heart Catholic Church here for Tommy Gries, 27, assistant athletic coach at Carroll high school, who was fatally injured in a collision with his motorcycle and an automobile here Saturday noon.

Gries suffered a broken left leg, several head injuries, including several serious lacerations, when his motorcycle struck the side of a car driven by Marion Fox, 14 year old son of Mrs. Gries.

Young Fox had just driven into the intersection of a street when Gries motorcycle collided broadside with the car. No charges will be filed in connection with the crash.

The coach was the Valley's 40th traffic victim of the year.

Surviving are his bride of one month, Mrs. Harriet Doffing Gries, of McAllen; his father, Nick Gries, and one sister, Miss Norma Jean Gries of Corsicana; another sister, Mrs. Florine Williamson of Markham, Texas, and a brother, E. C. Gries of McAllen.

Gries formerly resided in Corsicana and attended school here, but attended Mexia High school where he graduated and participated in athletics. His brother, E. C. Gries is a former Tiger athlete.

Mace Stewart, a Corsicana and Southern Methodist University athlete, is head coach at McAllen.

### Chatfield Boy Was Buried Sunday In Catholic Cemetery

Funeral services for Domingo Dígueroa, aged seven years, of Chatfield, who died Saturday morning, were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Church of the Immaculate Conception. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery. The rites were conducted by Monsignor V. Graffeo.

Surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silvester Dígueroa, Chatfield; a brother, and five sisters.

Sutherland-McCommon Funeral Home was in charge.

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## President Vetoed Cotton Insurance Bill On Monday

WASHINGTON, May 6.—(P)—President Roosevelt today vetoed a bill to extend to cotton the system of federal crop insurance now applied experimentally to wheat.

The president explained in a message to the Senate that the administration did not yet have the necessary "backlog of experience" to establish a sound actuarial basis for crop insurance which would make it fully self-supporting.

Mr. Roosevelt recalled that in his message to congress February 18, 1937, advocating the initiation of wheat crop insurance under federal auspices, he expressed the belief that such insurance should be extended to other commodities when "experience of the nation to what has provided a backlog of experience in applying the principles of crop insurance."

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Scrap iron, cotton, crude oil and coffee were among the items listed as "war materials" in the conference declaration.

The delegates rejected a move to make the resolution stronger through asking the United States government to prohibit the shipment of such goods to "aggressors."

The conference also asked its committee on international relations to confer with leaders of other Protestant churches on the feasibility of making Easter a fixed holiday.

Two feature bouts have been arranged with Roy Baggs of Corsicana scheduled to oppose Wild Bill of Bingham of Ferris, and Hugh Garland of Mildred slated to meet Buddy Shumway of Dallas.

Other fights have been arranged as follows: Roy Stewart of Corsicana vs. Jimmie Jenkins of Oak Cliff, Dallas; Jack Griffin of Corsicana vs. Cotton Gunther of Dallas. Several additional bouts are being arranged and pairings will be announced as soon as possible, C. E. Broughton, director, said Monday morning.

The new maps show terraces and other changes from the old maps formerly used, it was stated Monday.

## FUNERAL SUNDAY FOR MRS. BROWN AT PRAIRIE POINT

Mrs. Mary Emma Brown, aged 76 years, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. L. Tubbs, Main street, early Sunday. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the Prairie Point cemetery with interment in the Prairie Point cemetery. The rites were conducted by Rev. S. C. Goff, pastor of the Northside Baptist church.

Surviving are four children, Mrs. Hugh Wheat, Coleman; Mrs. Tubbs, Corsicana, and Fred Brown, Coleman; seven grandchildren, one sister, Mrs. T. E. Newsom, Fort Worth, and a brother, J. T. McFadden, Mirrored City, Texas, and other relatives.

Sutherland-McCommon Funeral Home directed the arrangements. Active pallbearers were Pete O'Daniel, Bill Norris, Rube Bennett, Harold White, Duren Norris, four brothers, E. T. Toal, H. M. Toal and P. M. Toal, all of Ennis, and J. L. Toal, Harlingen; and four sisters.

### General Conference New Methodist Church Closed on Monday

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 6.—(P)—The first general conference of the New Methodist Church ended today with a plea for a "moral embargo" on shipments of war materials to aggressor nations from the United States.

Appearing on the attractive card will be fighters from the various branches of the Dallas YMCA and the Ferris Athletic Club. Many of the Dallas fighters to appear on the card Thursday night have been strong contenders for various titles in the annual Golden Glove tournaments staged each year in that city.

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## FUNERAL SERVICES HELD SUNDAY FOR MRS. H. J. DOWNEY

Funeral services for Mrs. H. J. Downey, aged 46 years, who died in Ennis Friday night after a long illness, were held from the First Baptist church in Ennis Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock with burial in Ennis.

Mrs. Downey, formerly Mary Effie Toal, was born at Emmett, Navarro county, July 22, 1893, and lived in Navarro county until 1915. Her husband, a Cotton Belt engineer, died in 1928, and following his death, Mrs. Downey moved to Ennis.

Surviving are four children, Miss Evelyn Downey, district census stenographer here; Jack Martin Downey, Houston; and Joe Carl Downey, both of Ennis; a grandson, Michael Mrs. Joann Toal, Ennis; four brothers, E. T. Toal, H. M. Toal and P. M. Toal, all of Ennis, and J. L. Toal, Harlingen; and four sisters.

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## Meeting of County Softball League Be Held on Wednesday

Officials in charge of the YMCA Navarro County softball league announced Monday that a meeting of the league will be held Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the YMCA for the purpose of organizing a girl's softball league. The league will be organized for girls of junior high and high school age in the event that enough interest is evinced in that age classification. All persons interested in playing or sponsoring such a league are requested to attend the meeting.

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